

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

JEREMY HOPKINS, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Civil Action 2:24-cv-3681

Judge Edmund A. Sargus, Jr.

Magistrate Judge Elizabeth P. Deavers

BASSETT SERVICES HEATING  
AND COOLING, LLC, *et al.*,

Defendants.

**ORDER**

This matter is before the Court for consideration of the Joint Motion to Stay Proceedings and for Referral to Mediation. (ECF No. 21.) The parties request a stay pending the outcome of mediation, for the Undersigned to be the mediator, and for an in-person mediation in January or February 2025. (*Id.*) The Motion is **GRANTED in part**. The case is **STAYED** until **March 31, 2025**. On or before March 31, 2025, the parties are **DIRECTED** to file a written **JOINT STATUS REPORT** detailing the status of the case, and if necessary, a proposed case schedule. The case will be referred to an attorney mediator for participation in the Court's Alternative Dispute Resolution mediation program in March 2025.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Date: January 6, 2025

/s/ Elizabeth A. Preston Deavers

ELIZABETH A. PRESTON DEAVERS  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE